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Line Conditioner

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

RESPONSE

Dear Sir:

This paper is responsive to the Office Action dated November 21, 2002.

Remarks

Claims 1-25 are currently pending. The Examiner has rejected claims 3-25 under 35 U.S.C. 112, first paragraph, as based on a disclosure which is not enabling. The Examiner has also rejected claims 3-25 under 35 U.S.C. 112, second paragraph, as being indefinite for failing to particularly point out and distinctly claim the subject matter which applicant regards as the invention. Claims 4-35 have been rejected for the same reasons as claim 3.

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